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Subject:

Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO)

RCRA-05-2020-0002

U.S. EPA ID No: IL D005132410

Dated December 16, 2019

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Topic:

Conformation of three-year mark for the operation of the

Wastewater Treatment System (WWTS) and request for

closeout of the Supplemental Environmental Project (SEP). [See CAFO SEP Item 56 and Paulin, Jamie e-mail dated September 19,

2023.]

Discussion: With the United States Environmental Protection Agency March 1, 2021, approval of the SEP Completion Report, Nova Chrome Inc. (Nova Chrome) has operated the WWTS six times for three years (weeks of operation are listed below).

- Year 2021 June 7th and November 26th
- Year 2022 April 18th and October 10th
- Year 2023 April 17th and October 16th

The WWTS operation was conducted in accordance with the SEP Completion Report including (1) the reuse of treated wastewater as makeup to plating tanks and (2) off-site deposal of solids (source code F006 and F018, and disposal code D007 and D008) to an agency approved landfill disposal facility.

Nova Chrome is requesting closing out of the SEP.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Larry Ganzel.

Sincerely

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